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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 *et seq.*, the materials enclosed herewith are brought to the attention of the Examiner as possibly being of interest in connection with the above-identified patent application. Consideration of each of the documents listed on the attached 1449 form(s) is respectfully requested.

This is a divisional application of co-pending application Serial No. 10/414,186, filed April 14, 2003. This application relates to 09/404,641, filed September 23, 1999, issued as US Patent No. 6,576,744. This application is also related to Provisional Application 60/100,896, filed on September 23, 1998; Provisional Application 60/123,546, filed on March 9, 1999; and Provisional Application 60/142,574, filed on July 6, 1999.

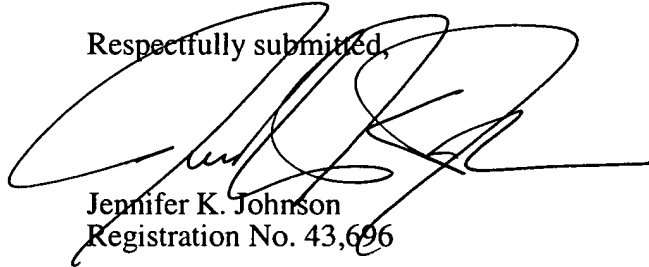
Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. §609 and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(d), Applicants have not included copies of the documents listed on the 1449 forms that were previously cited by or submitted to the Patent Office in a prior application identified herein.

Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. §609, Applicants further request that a copy of the 1449 form(s), marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next Official Communication.

It is believed that no fee is due, as this Information Disclosure Statement is filed prior to the receipt of any Action on the merits. However, in the event a fee is due, please charge any fee or credit any overpayment to Account No. 26-0290.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Undersigned at the below-listed telephone number, if there are any questions concerning this paper.

Respectfully submitted,

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	A1	6,057,128	Donaldson et al.			
	A2	6,307,024	Novak et al.			

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	A4	99/47675	09/23/99	PCT		
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	A6	1088831	04/04/01	EPO		
	A7	00/17235	03/30/00	PCT		
	A8	98/31811	07/23/98	PCT		
	A9	99/67290	12/29/99	PCT		

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	A10	Parrish et al., <u>American Journal of Human Genetics</u> 65: A378. 49 th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Human Genetics, Oct. 19-23, 1999.
	A11	Parrish-Novak et al., <u>Nature</u> 408: 57-63, 2000.
	A12	Ozaki et al., <u>Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA</u> 97: 11439-11444, 2000.
	A13	Asao et al., <u>J. Immunology</u> 167: 1-5, 2001.
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	A15	Hudson, Whitehead Institute/MIT Center for Human Genome Research, 1995, EMBL database Accession No. G13225 (22 Dec 1995)
	A16	Adams et al., Institute for Genomic Research, Rockville, MD, 1997, EMBL database Accession No. AC002303 (26 Jun 1997)
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	A21		Incyte Pharmaceuticals, Inc. clone 1998: INC4298246
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	A28		Hudson, Whitehead Institute/MIT Center for Human Genome Research, 1995, Human STS WI-10673 (20 Dec 1995): Accession No. G13225
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